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IN RE APPLICATION OF: :  
MCKENZIE, KRISTEN LYNNE ET AL. : CONFIRMATION NO: 9667

SERIAL NO.: 09/831,783 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1744  
FILED: May 14, 2001 : EXAMINER: LAURA C. COLE

FOR: Ultrasonic Cleaning Device :

P&G CASE: 7341 :

PETITION AND FEE FOR 1-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION SUMMARY DATED  
MAY 29, 2003

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

Applicants are responding to the Office Action dated May 29, 2003. A one-month extension of time is requested to respond to this Office Action. Please charge any fees associated with this to Deposit Account No.: 16-2480. The instant application is comprised of Claims 33 - 60. The Office Action indicates that the instant application appears to claim subject matter disclosed in prior U.S. Application No. 60/108,629 filed November 16, 1998. The Office Action further indicates that either a reference to the prior application must be inserted as the first sentence of the specification of this application or in an application data sheet. Applicants respectfully indicate that the instant application is a national phase entry under 35 U.S.C. 3719c(4) of PCT International Application Serial No. PCT/US99/27201 filed November 16, 1999 which claims the benefit of U.S. provisional Application Serial No. 60/108,629 filed November 16, 1998. This has been acknowledged on the Filing Receipt received from the U.S.P.T.O. for the instant application. A copy of the Filing Receipt is submitted herewith as evidence of Applicants' timely and proper priority claim.

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Additionally, Applicants are filing herewith an Application Data Sheet that provides priority data for the instant application.



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### AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The Office Action indicates that the drawings are objected to for the reasons of record as stated on pages 3 and 4 of the Office Action. In accordance with the Office Action, replacement drawings are being submitted herewith. The drawings and instant specification have been amended to add reference numerals to facilitate identification of the parts disclosed in the specification. In addition the instant specification has been amended to include drawing figure numbers. These amendments to the drawing and specification do not constitute new matter but are added for the purpose of facilitating identification of the indicated part in the specification. Applicants respectfully request the Office to indicate their acceptance of the replacement drawing sheets. A list of the parts identified in the drawings and the reference numeral assigned thereto is provided below:

<b>PART</b>	<b>Reference Numeral</b>
ultrasonic cleaning device	1
housing of ultrasonic cleaning device	10
gripping means of housing of ultrasonic cleaning device	20
cleaning head	30
transducer means mounted in the housing	50
power supply means	60
solution storage means	70
first housing (see FIG. 4)	80
second housing (see FIG. 4)	90

The specification has been amended to include the reference numerals which are used in the drawings to identify the parts disclosed in the specification.